## **PATENT**

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## PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.81(b) TO CORRECT ASSIGNEE IN ISSUED PATENT

## MAIL STOP PETITION

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.81(b) and MPEP § 1481, Applicants respectfully request the grant of this petition to correctly depict the assignees names on the above-referenced patent.

Due to a clerical error, Applicants' representative inadvertently entered incorrect assignee information under item 3 of Form PTOL-85B at the time of payment of the Issue Fee. Only the